GEOGRAPHY - PH.D.

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Description
The Ph.D. degree in Geography provides specialized training and inquiry into contemporary problems in geography.

Fully Offered At:
• Kent Campus

Admission Requirements
• Master’s degree from an accredited college or university for unconditional admission
• Minimum 3.000 GPA on a 4.000 point scale for unconditional admission
• Official transcript(s)
• GRE scores
• Résumé
• Goal statement
• Three letters of recommendation
• English language proficiency - all international students must provide proof of English language proficiency (unless they meet specific exceptions) by earning one of the following:
  • Minimum 550 TOEFL PBT score (paper-based version)
  • Minimum 79 TOEFL IBT score (Internet-based version)
  • Minimum 77 MELAB score
  • Minimum 6.5 IELTS score
  • Minimum 58 PTE score

For more information about graduate admissions, please visit the Graduate Studies admission website. For more information on international admission, visit the Office of Global Education’s admission website.

Program Learning Outcomes
Graduates of this program will be able to:

1. Engage in independent research projects.
2. Acquire experiences in formulating research problems, reviewing relevant literature, designing research methodology, analyzing research data and formulating results from academic research.

Program Requirements
Major Requirements
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